Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

WEEKLY SPOON COMPETITION.

900 YARDS, 10 SHOTS.

NEXT SATURDAY, 28rd Feb., 4 o'Clock.

CARBINESallowed Two Shots extra. On

THURSDAY AFTERNOONS the Range is

reserved for Practice at 800 and 900 Yards.

TRS. H. WHARTON, shortly returning

MESSRS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

GREEN ISLAND COMPANY.

LIMITED.

A the Company will be held on SATUR-DAY, the 2nd of March, at the Office of

the Company, 62, Queen's Road Central,

at Half-past Two o'Clock in the Afternoon.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of

A SHAREHOLDERS in the Company

will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No.

Meeting held This Day, the 19th of Fobru-

COMPANY, LIMITED.

of the Company will be held on MONDAY,

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twentieth Ordinary Annual MEET-

above Company will be held at the Offices

of the Company, Pedder's Street, on MON-DAY, the 25th February instant, at 12

o'Clock (noon), to receive a Statement of

Accounts to the 31st D cember, 1888, the

Report of the General Managers, and to

elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 25th

day of February instant, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, February 1, 1889.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company,

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of

the Offices of the Company. No. 14, Praya

Central, on MONDAY, the 25th Instant,

at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the

Report of the Directors, and Statement of

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th

By Order of the Board of Directors,

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second Ordinary Annual MEET-

above Company will be held at Messrs.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s Office, Ped-

der's Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th

March, 1889, at 12 o'Clock (noon), to re-

ceive a Statement of Accounts and the

Report of the Directors for the year ending

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the

27th Instant, to WEDNESDAY, the 6th

ISAAO HUGHES,

Secretary."

day of March next, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR

CHINESE.

DESIDENTS in the Colony would

(1). Glass Jars (for museum purposes). (2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the

Student's Reading Room and Library.

JAMES CANTLIE,

Hon. Sec. to the College,

Hongkong, February 19, 1889.

31st December, 1888.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Address to

Hongkong, August 7, 1888.

Accounts to 31st December, 1888.

Hongkong, February 8, 1889.

Instant, both days inclusive.

SHAREHOLDERS will be held in

General Managers,

ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the

Hongkong, February 11, 1889.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

General Managers.

Hougkong, February 19, 1889.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary.

ary, 1889.

Hongkong, February 19, 1889.

C. EWENS.

General Manager.

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in

IVI to ENGLAND, would be glad to TAKE

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Hon. Secretary.

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Hongkong, February 16, 1889.

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Hongkong, February 21, 1889.

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Banks.

NOTICE.

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

I .-- The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours: on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 | THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE in any one year.

8 .- Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to dopositors on the Afternoon of WEDNESDAY, the 6th

their daily balances.

6.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis | day of March, 1889, for the purpose of Confirming the Resolution passed at the with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the and the production of his Pass Book | pany's Office. are necessary. For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1889. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND,.....\$4,000,000 RESERVE LYABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000 PRIETORE,

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-Hon. John Bell-Inving. Deputy Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. C. D. BOTTOMLEY, | S. C. MICHAELSEN. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq.

H. L. DALRYMPLE, L. POESNEOKER, Esq. N. A. Siers, Esq. J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. Hon. B. LAYTON. OHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong,G. E. Noble, &sq. MANAGER. Shanghai, Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS, -London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the race of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

balance. On Fixed Deposits :--For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 4 per cant. II 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Gredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia. America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

Intimations.



MASONIO BALL-1889.

TN consequence of the lamented death of Admiral CHANDLER, the MASONIC BALL is POSTPONED from FRIDAY, the 15th Instant, to MONDAY, THE 25TH FEBRUARY NEXT. ALF. WOOLLEY,

Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, February 14, 1889.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF EXPIRY OF OPIUM FARM.

THE Exclusive PRIVILEGE of BOILING and PREPARING OPIUM and SELLING and RETAILING OPPUM so Boiled or Prepared will CEASE on the 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1889. No boiled or prepared Opium pur-chased from us or our Licensees con be used OOLLEGE by forwarding to the Alice after the 3rd day of March, 1889, at Noon, without the consent of the New Holder of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid.

Dated 26th January, 1889.

AND CHEAH TEK SOON, Opium Farmers.

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Business Notices.

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SCARVES RIDING & WALKING BOOTS.

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 18, 1889.

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LADIES' WHITE STRAW HATS, all New Shapes. (Specially Manufactured to meet the Requirements of the early Spring Trade.) W. POWELL & Co.

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Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

5. Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3 o'Clock in LIAVE RECEIVED THEIR SECOND DELIVERY WINTER COATINGS, TWEED AND DRESS SUITINGS,

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OUR OUTFITTING STOCK IS ALSO COMPLETE IN SEASONABLE GOODS. QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite Hondkong Hotel), Houghoug, January 14, 1889.

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost 11HE Seventeenth Ordinary General the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. depositor or his duly appointed agent, the 25th Instant, at 2.30 p.m., at the Com- The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most

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The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken, Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Proprietors, Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Intimations.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the Punjom and Sunghei Dua Samantan MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company No. 9 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on MON-DAY, the 25th day of February, 18-9, at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, when the subjoined Resolution will be proposed. Should the Resolution be passed by the

required majority it with be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convend.

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$600,000 legally carrent in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares o \$10 each. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting sanctioning the increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be offered to the Members in proportion to the existing Shares held by them, and such offer shal be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted after the expirati n of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to sceept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion. Dated the 14th day of February, 1889. By Order of the Board,

A. O'D. GOURDIN, ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the 286 Secretary.

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LADY (very good sailor) wishing to the voyage, in return for her passage home. Office. MISS EARLE, c/o OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, February 4, 1889.

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the Crry Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of February next, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1888. By Order of the Court of Directors,

G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 25, 1889.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

TOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 9th to SATURDAY, the 23rd February next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 25, 1889.

will be deemed to be declined, and LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE Seventh Ordinary Annual MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the General Agents, at Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 7th March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report from

the General Agents, with a Statement of Account to the 31st December, 1888. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd February until 7th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, February 19, 1889. TTONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, LTD.

TIME TABLE WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour.

12 n 2 p.m. n half hour, . 3 n 7 n a quarter of an hour. THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.45 and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS.

10.40 a.m.; 121 to 3 p.m. every half bour. 3 to 7 p.m. every quarter of an hour. Special CARS may be obtained on application to the SUPERINTENDENT. A Return to Eschand in the Spring, Single Tickets are sold in the Cara; Five-would be glad to give ber Services, during Cent Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the

MADEWEN, PRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 2, 1889,

BORDEAUX CLARETS AND

STOCK-IN-TRADE MILLINERY AND DRAPERY, Hongkong, July 18, 1884. comprising :-NOW READY. LADIES' ROBES and COSTUMES, MANTLES,

JACKETS, TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED HATS and Bonners, Corsers, Silks, Dress Ma-TERIALS, BLACK and WHITE LACE, COLLARS, GLOVES, RIBBANDS, PARASOLS, CHILDREN'S DRESSES, WINTER and SUMMER, and OTHER ARTICLES.

The above will be on view on Saturday Morning.FURNITURE and SHOW CASES will be Sold on the 28th Instant. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery.

Hongkong, February 9, 1889. Important Land Sale

G. R. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer.

AT KOWLOON. VALUABLE BUILDING ESTATE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer,

THURSDAY, the 7th March, at 2.30 p.m.,

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With extensive frontages to Robinson Road and other Public Roads, and EXCELLENT BUILDING SITES, already LEVILLED for BUILDING SHOPS,

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To Let. TO LET.

(Entry 1st March next.) WEST TERRACE.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13. Prava Central.

Hongkong, January 29, 1889 TO LET. DEAK-'LA HACIENDA,' formerly

Apply to H. N. MODY. Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, December 12, 1888.

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TO LET. (With Early Possession.) NTOS. 1, 2 & 4, QUEEN'S GARDENS.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, January 25, 1889.

TO LET.

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DAVID SASSOON -ONS & Co. Hougkong, December 12, 1888. 504 No. 7, WYNDHAM STREET. DOARD AND RESIDENCE.

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Hongkong, January 26, 1889.

Business Notices.

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Hongkong, February 8, 1889.

WEDNESDAY,

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CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

SPECIAL SALE of First Class well-seasoned FURNITURE. Previous to Stock-taking and Extension of Premises. COMPRISING:—Drawing and Dining Room Suites (in Teak and Walnut), Ben-Room Suites, Commodes, Sideboards, Mantels and Over Mantels, Music CABINETS, WRITING DESES, HAT STANDS, CLOTHES STANDS, FANOY PLUSH CHAIRS, CHILDREN'S CHAIRS, MIRRORS, BRACKETS, EASELS, &c.

The whole of the present stock of Furniture has been re-marked at EXCEP-TIONALLY LOW PRICES to effect a Clearance, pending the arrival of an entirely New Stock from our Factories. WE SHALL ALSO INCLUDE IN THE ABOVE SALE A LABOR ASSORTMENT OF

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THE Undersigned has received instruc-TULES MUMM tions to Sell by Public Auction, on CHAMPAGNE, Quarts......\$20 per Case of 1 doz. 11 2 H the 27th February, 1889, at 2 p.m., at Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s Madame CHEVALLIER'S ROOMS, College

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Shipping.

Hongkong, February 20, 1889.

Steamers.

FOR NEW YORK. The Steamship E. Porter, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, February 18, 1889.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Roy, Commander. be despatched for the

above Ports on the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, February 18, 1889.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS.

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship Capt. SHANNON, will be despatched for the above

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Ayents. Hongkong, February 19, 1689. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN VIA SWATOW. The Co.'s Steamship Kwunyang, patched as above on or about the 27th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 18, 1889

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Verona will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 1st March, at Noon. E. L. WOODIN,

P. & O. S. N. Oo. a Office.

Hongkong, February 21, 1889,

Superintendent.

Shipping.

Steamers. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. McCasus, will be despatched for the above

Port on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co...

General Managers. Hongkong, February 21, 1889.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 20, 1889.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

places on SUNDAY, 24th Instant, at Daylight. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co,'s Office,

NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL

Captain V. UASSER leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail.

MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 16, 1889.

Steamship will leave for the above

places at Noon on THURSDAY, 7th March. E L WOODIN Superintendent.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

6th DIVIDEND of 61 % on all A U. AIMS against the Hongkong BRANCH OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-Tion, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery, will be paid at the Offices of the NEW OBJENTAL BANK CORPORA-

THE 17TH MARCH NEXT. CREDITORS are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Li-314 quidator, admitting their Claims, in order that the Payment of the 6th Dividend may

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT:

ment with The Assers REALISATION Caedirons who are willing to accept Pay-THE CURRENT MONTH.

E. W. RUTTER, Agent for the Official Liquidator, Uriental Bank Corporation in Liquidation.

Hongkong, February 6, 1889.

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With Hypophasphites of Lime & Sode.

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Ports on BUNDAY, the 24th Instant, at Daylight.

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Hongkong, February 13, 1889. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

The Co.'s Steamship Sachsen.

For further Particulars, apply to

STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 21, 1889.

Intimations.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PAYMENT OF 6TH DIVIDEND. TION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY,

be endorsed thereon.

THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR by arrange-Co. is prepared to Pay IN ADVANCE to CREDITORS willing to receive such Payment IN FULL DISCHARGE OF THEIR CLAIMS the Dividend of 5 % payable in the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE-TWELFTHS PER CENT. ment of the Final Dividend less discount as above are requested to communicate with the Undersigned BEFORE THE END OF

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OF PURE COD LIVER OIL

PALATABLE AS MILK.

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID, MALTA, MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, ANCONA. VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND

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NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, vid BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY.

4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colembo: Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vid

Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route vid Colombo. FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the TION COMPANY'S Office, Honga ing.

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TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTUAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

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To San Francisco To San Francisco and return,) available for 6 months ... To Liverpool 325.00 To London To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service

and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Paci-

Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco tor China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance

does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collec-

tor of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 501, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, February 13, 1889.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA,

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS;

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL GALL AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

N SUNDAY, the 17th day of March, 1889, at 10 a.m., the Company's Steamship Sachsen Capt. V. GAESEL, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,

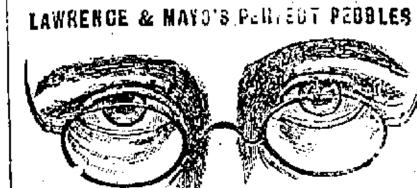
Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 1 p.m. on the 15th March, 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the AGERUY's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to. MELCHERS & Co.,

Agente Hongkong, February 18, 1889.

Intimations.

NOTICE.



Are clear, cool, & preserving to t'e i MR. LAWRENCE is now in Hongkong, M and may be Consulted at the VICTORIA HOTEL, FOR 14 DAYS ONLY

Mr. LAWRENCE'S Pamphlet 'Ignorance the cause of numerous Eye Diseases FREE on application.

LAWRENCE & MAYO, Ophthedmic Opticions, LONDON, CALCUTTA & BOMBAY. Yokohuma, February 11, 1889.

ATH, ETIC SPORTS TO BE HELD ON THE DACE COURSE MEADOW.

SATURDAY,

Held under the Laws of the Amatour Athletic Assicistion, open to all Gentlemen Amateurs who are Members or visiture of the Hongkong Club, The Club Germania, The Hongkong ricket thib, The Victoria Recreation Clab, The Ladies Recention tlub, and Commissioned Naval and Mili-

ners at previous meetings at Hongkong or elsewhere venalised 1½ yards), 2 prizes. -PUTTING THE SHOT (16 lbs)

Winners at previous meetings at Hongkong or elsowhere penalised I foot, 1 ,, 3 -120 YARDS FLAT RACE, (Handicap), 2 ,,

elsewhere penalised 2 inches for one win and one inch addi Pursel. (Winners at previous meetings at Hougkong or elsewhere penalised 10 yards for one win and 5 yards additional for more than one win), 2 ... THEOWING THE CRICKET BALL (Winners at previous meetings penalised 5 yarda), 1 .,

23 yards for each succeeding win),... 2 ,, 12. Boys' RACE, 100 YARDS (Open) (Competitors must be under i years of age). 3 ,, 13. - VETERANS RACE, 120 YARDS (Open), (Competitors must be 35 years of age or upwards of 10 years residence in India,

14, -Long Jump, (Winners at previous meetings penalised 6 inches), 1 15. THREE-LEGGED RACE (post entries), 1 ,, 16. - SMALL GIBLS RAGE (Handicap) (Competitors must be ander 7 ye rs old), 3 ...

17. -220 YARDS FLAT RACE (flan-18.-1 MILE FLAT RACE (Winners at provious meetings penalised 100 yards for first win and 50 vards additional for each suc-

20.—Tue of War, (International), 21.-BICYCLE RACE (1 mile). Start on Saddle). (Post entries),... 2 ,,

1. - Entries to close on Friday 8th March. 2.—Competitors are requested to send in their entries to the Hon. Sec., Welling-TON BARRACKS, as early as possible. 3.—The above order of events may be changed as the Committee think proper. 4.—Members are requested to send in their Entries for races on forms which are obtainable (on WEDNESDAY, and after) at the CRICKET PAVILION, Messrs. Kelly & WALSH, and Messis. Lane, Craw-

FORD & Co. GEO. BRAMWELL, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will

roceive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

DENTISTRY.

MODERATE FEES. MR. WONG TAI-FONG,

(FORMERLY ASSICLED APPRENTICE AND LAT-TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.) A T the urgent request of his European A and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. Roores,

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET. CONSULTATION FREE.

Sole Address 2. DUDDELL STREET. Hongkong, January 12, 1885.

Intimations.

The Hall & Holtz Co-operative Company, Limited.

 $S\ T\ O\ C\ K\ \cdot\ T\ A\ K\ T\ N\ G\ .$ To Close Consignments. TTALUABLE WATCHES, by J. W. BENSON.

Ludgate Hill, London. WILL BE SOLD AT HOME PRICES. EXCHANGE \$3. No. 51052 Gold Keyless Field Watch, £25. No. 65231 English Half Hunter, £35. No. 58474 Horizontal Hunter, £10.

1 Horizontal Hunter, £12.12.0. 2 Horizontal Hunter, £12.12.0. No. 65907 Silver Keyless Horizontal Hunter, £4.4.0. ter, £4.4.0.

(Pure Highland Malt) 6 years in bottle, \$7.50 per case (1 dozon), for Cash. A SMAIL PARCEL OF

STUART'S VINO DE PASTO SHERRY, per 1 dozen Case \$7.00 for Cash. 500 NEW STANDARD WORKS AND NOVELS, published at 2/, 35 cents each: three (3) for One Dollar.

Hongkong, February 18, 1889. CHAS. J. GAUPT & Co.. Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiller. NI AUTICAL SCIENTIFIC .~P N METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. SITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS. NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATER WARE.

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Notice of Firm. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A TR. G. E. NOBLE has been Appointed M CHIEF MANAGER of the BANK from the 1st January, 1889. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON,

Hongkong, December 31, 1888.

Notices to Consignees. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Electra, Capt. P Möl-Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW, the 22nd Instant. ny Cargo impeding her discharge wil be landed into t e Godowns of the Kow-LOON PIER AND GODOWN Co. and stored at Consigneer' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th Inst. will be subject to rent. are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 27th Instant, at

No Fire Insurance has been effected. · SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 21, 1889. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

SINGAPORE.

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 22nd DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, February 18, 1889. UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBRO', LONDON AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Highfield, Captain SIMPSON, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo hereby requested to send in their Bills of their Goods from alongside.

Fire Insurance will be effected. presented to the Undersigned on or before the 25th Instant, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 18, 1889.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY.

11HE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co.,

To-day's Advertisements. NOTICE.

264 ERNMENT HOUSE on MONDAY NEXT, the 25th Hongkong, February 22, 1889.

C O N C E R T The Steamship Captain G. HEUERMANN, will be despatched for the THE HONGKONG BRANCH OF THE SOLDIERS' AN

SAILORS' FAMILIES AID ASSOCIATION. Under the Distinguished Patronage of Hongkong, February 22, 1889. MRS. GORDON CAMERON, MRS MAXWELL, MRS. BELL-IRVING, The Steamship &c. .

Doors open at..... 8.30 P.M. Tickets-82 each, can be obtained at at 10 a.m. Messie, Kelly & Walse.

Hongkong, February 13, 1889. Notices to Consignees.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP SACHSEN, FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

OF CALL. THE above-named Steamer having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPTIONAL CARGO will be landed here in Hongkong unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. To-DAY, the 21st Inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th February will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

March, at 4 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 7th March, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

will be examined on WEDNESDAY, the 6th

Hongkong, February 21, 1889. STEAMSHIP YANGTSE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Guadalquivir and Guadiana, from Havre ex S.S. Guadiana, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Pt. Leroy Lallier and Cambrai in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods —with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns at Bowrington, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees

before Noon To-DAY (Saturday), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATUR-DAY, the 23rd Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at H one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or

before the 25th Instant (MONDAY), or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, $Agent_{i}$

Hongkong, February 16, 1889. Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-ADAM W. SPIES, American barque, Capt. A. D. Field.—Russell & Co. GENERAL WEEDER, Germ. steamer, Capt.

Schuckmann.—Melchers & Co. JAPAN, British steamer, Captain T. S. Gardner. - David Sassoon, Sons & Co. STATE OF MAINE, American ship, Capt. Nickels.—Pustau & Co.

Insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

Company, are authorized to Insure

Hongkong, July 15, 1887.

T ADY DES VŒUX will be UNABLE to RECEIVE VISITOR . at Gov-

FOR SHANGHAL

above Port on SUNDAY, the 24th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to STEMSSEN & Co.

· 340 FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. Electra,
Captain P. Möller, will
be despatched for the

above Ports on SUNDAY, the 24th Inst., For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co..

Hongkong, February 22, 1859

THE BEN LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE. The British Steamer Benlawers.

Capt. Webster, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 25th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 22, 1889. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL

and BREMEN.) The Steamship Capt. E. CHRISTIANSEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 1st March, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co... Hongkong, February 22, 1889.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SAIGON SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND SOURABAYA.

The Co.'s Steamship Nerbudda,
Captain Giller, will be
despatched as above on or about the 1st of March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 22, 1889. DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,

LIMITED, CHEMISTS. Dakin's

Carbolic Tooth Powder. Highly Antiseptic and most agreeable and efficacious dentifrice, by its use the TEETH are kept in a sound and efficient condition and gums firm

and healthy. Its perfume is especially delicate and pleasing.

Price,......75 Cents per Bottle. Dakin's

Cherry Tooth Paste. Owners will be Responsible for This Preparation has been made and exported to different parts of the World for many years, and wherever known has become a favourite AGENT for WHITENING and PRESERV-ING the TEXTH and imparting a pleasing odour to the breath.

Price,......50 Cents per Pot. 22, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, TELEPHONE No. 60. Hongkong, February 16, 1889.

Date of Leaving. Agents. Destination. Vessels. Batavia, &c., v. Saigon Nerbudda (8)....... Jardine, Matheson&Co About March 1. Bremen, v. Singapore. Sachsen (s)............. Norddeutscher Lloyd. Mar. 17, at 10 a.m. P. & O. S. N. Co..... Feb. 27, at noon. London, v. Suez Canal Shannon (s)...... Russell & Co...... Feb. 23, at 4 p.m. Manila, via Amoy..... Zafiro (s)...... Messageries Maritimes March 6, at noon. Marseilles, v. Saigon . Ava (s)...... Adamson, Bell & Co... February 26. New York......Albany (s)...... .O. & O. S. S. Co..... March 3, daylight. of Lading to the Undersigned for counter- 8 Francisco, v. Y'hama Arabic (s)...... Pacific Mail S. S. Co., March 13, at 1 p.m. signature, and to take immediate delivery S. Francisco, v. Y hams City of Sydney (s).... Siemssen & Co...... Feb. 24, at 10 a.m. Adamson, Bell & Co... February 26. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Shanghai, Kobe Y'ma Alghan (8)...... Gibb, Livingston & Co. Feb. 25, at noon. Siemssen & Co..... March 1, at 10 a.m. P. & O. S. N. Co..... March 7, at noon, at Consignees' risk and expense, and no S'pore Havre & H'burg Aglaia (s)...... Straits and Bombay Gwalior (a) Douglas Lapraik & Co. Feb. 24, at daylight. All Claims against the Steamer must be S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Hailoong (a)...... Russell & Co..... Feb. 27, at 4 p.m. S'ney, M'bne & A'laide Tannadice (s)...... Jardine, Matheson&Co About February 27. Tientein, via Swatow. Kwongsang (s)...... Adamson, Bell & Co... March 7, at 8 p.m. Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Parthia (a) Siemssen & Co..... Feb. 24, at 10 a.m. Yokohama and Kobe. Electra (a)......

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

February 22, 1889 :--Peking, German steamer, from Whampon. Activ, Danish steamer, 355, N. C. Revsbeck, Pakhoi February 19, and Hoihow 21, General. -ARNHOLD, KARBERO & Co. Socchow, British steamer, 327, T. Rowin, Macao February 22, 1 a.m., one Coffin .-KWANG TAI LOONG.

Clara, German steamer, 674, C. Christensen, Baiphong February 19, Rice.—SIEMS-BEN & Co.

DEPARTURES. February 22:-

Frejr, for Haiphong. Japan, for Singapore and Calcutta. 1340 Benledi, for Yokohama. Dardanus, for Singapore and London. Him Shing, for Shanghai. Anten, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Alwine, for Hoihow and Pakhoi.

> CLEARED. None.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Activ, from Pakhoi, 8 Chinese. Per Souchow, from Macao, 3 Chinese.

Per Clara, from Haiphong, 9 Europeans,

and 20 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Soochow reports Experienced fog banks hanging over the

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:

high land.

A SUPPLEMENTARY MAIL FOR SHANGHAI. Per Sachsen, will close at 7.30 a.m., To-For AMOY & MANILA.— Per Zafiro, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 23rd inst.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Khiva, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 23rd inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Hailoung, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 23rd inst., instead of as previous-

ly notified. For SAIGON .-Per Ashington, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 25th inst. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS. LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVIL-LE BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MEL-BOURNE, ADELAIDE, &c.— Per Tannadice, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 27th inst. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-The British Contract Packet Shannon will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

the Mails, &c. HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in 339 closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office

will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late A Peak delivery has now been established. Letters will be delivered by the 12 and o'clock Trams only. Correspondence for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m., or in

Correspondence from the Peak may posted in the Letter Boxes up to 12 and 4 o'clock. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to Cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped across them.

CHINA COAST METEUROLOGICAL REGISTER. FEBRUARY 21 .-- AT 4 P.M.

Wl'ostock. 30.02, 17 Tokio [29.84] — Nagasaki.. | 30.11 | - | sw 2 Shanghai. 29.99 49 78 sn Amoy 30.05 63 83 wsw 1 Hongkong 29.99 63 85 E 3 Haiphong. 30.04 72 87 E Bolingo.... 29.92 86 72 w 2 Manila.... 29.90 89 57 E 3 0 FEBRUARY 22.-AT 10 A.M. Wl'ostock. 30.11 11 ; 70 8 11 ; c

Naganaki. | 29.86 -Shanghai. 29.84 51 93 mw 3 0 Hongkong 30.03 64 98 ENE 2 Haiphong. 30.01 72 91 E Bolinso.... 29.99 84 63 SE 2 The barometer has fallon in the North. Gradients are very slight. Warm, damp and foggy weather prevails.

Hongkong Observatory, February 22. 1. BAROMETER, reduced to 82 degrees Fahren. heit, and to the level of the ses in inches, tenthe and hundredths. I. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in degrees Pabrenbuit.

W. DOBLECK,

Governmen! Astronomer.

4. Dinection or Wind, to two points. 5. FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort sched clouds, d drisaling, rain, f fog, g gloomy, a hair, I lightning, o overcent, p raming showers,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping. 4 p.m. - Zafiro leaves for Manila.

Meeting. Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at the City Hall.

Amusements. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Steamer Yangtsé unclaimed after Noon subject to rent.

Rifle Association.

General Memoranda.

4 p.m. -Spoon Competition of the H.K.

SUNDAY, February 24 :-Goods por Japan undelivered after this date subject to rent. Monday, February 25 :-

Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders The Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at the Company's office, Pedder's 2.30 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of the H.K. & China Bakery Co., Ltd., at the Office of the Company.

3 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co., Ltd., at No. 14, Praya Central. 4 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., at No. 9, Queen's Rd. Masonic Ball at City Hall. Claims against the Highfield must be

sent in to Messra Russell & Co., on or before this date. Tuesday, February 26 :-- .

Opening of Government Central School. WEDNESDAY, February 27:-2 p.m. - Auction of Stock-in-Trade at Madame Chevallier's Rooms, College Chambers. Goods per Electra undelivered after this date subject to rent. Transfer Books of The H.K. & K'loon

this flate to the 6th March, inclusive. 9 p.m.—Concert at St. George's Hall. THURSDAY, February 28:-10 a.m.—Tenders for Naval Contracts, 1889-90, received by Storekeeper. Goods per Sachsen undelivered after this

Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., closed from

2.30 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the Green Island Co., Ltd., at 62, Queen's Road Central. WEDNESDAY, March 6:-Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong&Kowloon Wharf & Godown

& Co.'s Office. Pedder's Street.

3 p.m.—Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at No. 5, Queen's Road. THURSDAY, March 7:-Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of the Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' office. 2.30 p.m.—Auction of Eighty-seven Lots

Co., Ld., at Mesers Jardine, Matheson

SATURDAY, March 16:--H.K. Amateur Athletic Sports. Monday, March 18:-Sixth Dividend of 61 % on all Claims The usual hours will be observed in closing against the H.K. Branch of the Oriental Bank Corp., payable at New Oriental Bank Corp., Ltd.

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1889.

Wire the help of tables contained in Der

Ostasiatische Lloyd and the quarterly returns in the Customs Gazette, we are able to judge pretty accurately of the extent of China's foreign trade in 1888. The Customs receipte may not indicate with perfect accuracy the volume of the trade, but they form a sufficiently correct test wherewith to judge of the increase or decrease of the trade as compared with previous years. The figures are certainly not very encouraging. Apart from opium dues and opium lokin, the Customs receipts show no improvement over those of last year. The increase of two million taels shown in the table given below is entirely contributed by opium. And this increase is easily accounted for when it is remembered that the rise in the lekin only came into force in February 1887 and that the change disturbed greatly the normal trade in opium during the first half of that year, a large quantity of opium being rushed in before the enhanced tax came into operation. That the increase is due to this fiscal change, and not to an improvement in the opium trade, is shown by the fact that it occurs wholly in the first two quarters of the year, which quarters were represented by low figures in 1887. The last quarter of 1888 even shows a slight decrease in 5. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the the receipts of opium from that of the corannidity of air saturated with moisture being responding period in 1887. That there was no expansion in the general trade was due doubtless to the prevalent 6. STATE OF WELTHER. b blue sky, o de distress caused by floods and drought in different provinces in the North and to the decrease in the quantity of tea exported.

As far as Kowloon and Lappa are concerned,

ALONDON:

AND AUSTRALIA.

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH. THE PENINSULAR AND OBJECTAL STRAN SHANNON, Capt. C. R. EDWARDS, with

27th February, at Noon. Cargo will be received on board until

For further Particulars regarding PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIOA-The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 13, 1889.

Ship Company.

STRAMERS THE Steamship ARABIC will be

day previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows :-

fie, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

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and CARGO, will leave this port as above, calling at GENOA.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation

(till the 26th Inst.)

THE ROSGKONG AMATEUR

the 16th March.

tary Officers. The following is the list of Events, viz: -1 -100 YARDS FLAT RACE (Win-

4. Tossino the Caber, (Open), 1 ... 5 High Jumr, (Winners at previous meeting at Hongkong or tional for more than one win), 1 ,, a - MILR FLAT RACE, (Ladies'

8. EXERCISES ON THE GERMAN Hors_{R_1} 1_{-1} 9 3 MILE FLAT RACE, (Handieap),... 2 ,. 10 - MILE FLAT RACE, (Open to N C. O. a and Men of Her Majesty's Imperial Services, including Police), 3 ... 120 YARDS HURBLE RACE, (Winners at previous mestings penalised 5 yards for one win,

China, or the Tropics),... 2

ceeding win), 2 ,, 19.—Consolation Race (120 yards) 1 ,,

Lt. 2nd Northamptonshire Regt. Hongkong, 18th February, 1889.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885. FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

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Total,.. 1,044,864 563,782 The following are the corresponding figures for the Corean ports, with regard to which all that has to be said is that the smallness of the increase in 1888 is doubtless due to the partial failure of the harvest and the political troubles.

Treaty Ports 1888. Jenchuan 136,940 120,719 80,932 Fusan 66,810 69,741 35,689 Yuensan 61,359 57,116 45,921 Total 267,109 247,576 162,542

[Surplied to the 'China Mail."] (Via Southern Line.) THE CRISIS IN FRANCE.

TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 20th Feb. Mr Meline has been unable to form a

THE COLONIAL DEFENCES. The Duke of Cambridge is visiting Gibraltar in connection with the defences. POLITICAL

A Separatiat has been elected for Perth-

There are two electoral divisions of Perthshire—Perthshire East and Perthshire West. It is the latter doubtless that is referred to, as we observe from recent Home papers that the representative, Sir Donald Currie, Liberal Unionist, had been practically asked to resign by his constituents. The result is therefore another gain of a seat to the Gladstonian Liberals, and indicates a pretty extensive change, as Sir Donald Currie defeated the Gladstonian of the last election by 937 votes.]

(Havas Telegrams.)

THE CRISIS IN FRANCE. a great majority the Bill re-establishing scrutin d'arrondissement. No by-election will take place before the general elections. Mr Jamais refused the post of Under Secretary of State to the Colonies.

Paris, 14th Feb.--The Chamber of Deputies adopted, by 307 votes to 218, the adjournment of the discussion on the revision of the constitution. On account of this vote the Ministers resigned.

TOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. 1: Kent. 11: Ehrenfels, 15: Nestor,

from Hongkong on December 19th. The Canadian Pacific Co.'s str. Abyssinia 19th inst.

The steamship Afghan, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore on the 18th inst., and expected here on or about the 26th inst. The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s steamer Wing-

the 18th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 26th itst. The Glen Line steamer Glengarry, from

London, left Singapore on the 19th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 27th inst.

A Paris telegram announces the deaths of General Brissaud and Cardinal Leccholski.

LADY Des Vœux will be unable to receive visitors at Government House on Monday next.

THE mon-of-war in Harbour dressed ship to-day, and fired a salute, in commemoration of the birthday of George Washington. first President of the United States. Washington was born in 1731.

day next by Rev. A. G. Goldsmith on the U S. S. Marion, by kind permission of the officer commanding, on Sunday next, at 2.45 р. ш.

THE programme for Mr Sangater's next Organ Recital, on Tuesday afternoon, the 26th, at 5.45 p.m., is as follows: -. 1. Concert Variationem - 1

(Ou a theme by Handel, the Lux. Harmonious Blacksmith. 2. Duer & Chorus- I wait | Mondelsed for the Lord,'..... sohn. (Mrs Humphrays and Mrs Denson.) 3. ARIA- Wise men Flatter } Handel. ing may deceive. 4. Solo-' Ange's ever bright } Handel. and fair.

...... Guilmant. 5. Priere. 6. Solo Resignation, Cowen. (Mrs HUMPEBBYS.) 7. STORM FARTASIA,..... Lemmons.

(Mrs Kenderdine.)

it must be remembered that the statistics for In consequence of the dance at the Hongkong Shanghai Bank to-night Iolanthe to-morrow, the Tramway Co. will run special Cars as under :-Friday-9 p.m. 9.15 p.m. 11.30 p.m. 12

Saturday-8.30 p. m 8.45 p.m. 11.45 p.m.

will play the following programme at the Cricket Ground to-morrow :-Overture 'Romantique'.. Keler Bela. Valse Loved & Lost'. Müder. · Reminiscon-) ces of Sul- Winterbottom. livan '..... Valse Au Revoir '.... Waldteufel.

Galep Avalanche ' .. Tinnev. God Save the Queen." Pipera' programme for Cricket Pavi-

... 'The Heights of Balaklava.' Strathary ... Because he is a Bonnie Lad. 'The Black Snuff Mull.' March... ... 'The East Neak o' Fife. March... ... 'Clyde Side.'

A RICH Chinese merchant of Boston, Sam Wall Kee by name, has just become a father. He himself claims to be the first Celestial ever born in the city, and to commemorate the birth of the heir to that distinguished individual's estate he has given a great banquet to his countrymen in Boston. Seven hundred pigtails surrounded his profusely guest found lying in his plate, before the feast began, three shining dollars.

LADY Granville Gordon having successfully have followed her example. Mrs Wheeler, while Mrs 'Charley' Gurney has gone into o'clook. dressmaking, Mrs Kerr, Lord Dunraven's sister-in-law, makes and sells bonnets and hats. Mrs White has an art repository, and Lady Loftus, wife of the ex-Ambassador to Russia, has gone into dressmaking.

An English syndicate in Madrid, with a large capital, is endeavouring to make a corner of Cuban-grown tobacco. It purposes buying out all the Havanna cigar manufacturers, and negotiations have already been begun to this end. other English capitalists, however, having no connection with the syndicate, got wind of the affair, and anticipated the syndicate by buying up two of the largest tobacco Mr J. D. Humphroys' Vis Inertiae factories in Havanna. For the good-will and plant of one of these a sum of 70,000t. was paid, this not including the tobacco and cigara in atock.

An extraordinary outrage was perpetrated on a British India steamer on its voyage from Kurrachee to Bombay. A Chinaman engaged as ship's carpenter ran a much during the night. Arming himself with a hatchet he went among the watch asleep on deck, and severely wounded three firemen before any interference could be attempted. The look-out man's attention was attracted by the cries of one of the men, and he then aw the Chinaman strike himself on the l head with the hatchet. Finding himself Paris, 13th Feb.-The Senate voted by observed, the Chinaman ran astern, jumped overboard, and was drowned. He had been employed on the vessel for some time, and was not known to have animosity against any member of the crew

the British Minister at Pekin has referred start was got ultimately and the field passon the subject of the right of foreigners to | way till they turned into the straight, when establish cotton factories in Shanghai and Violent came away in front. Mr Humthe other open ports in China The ques- | phroys' pony had apparently been taking tion arose in Shanghai last year by reason things pretty easily up to this point, and of the refusal of the Chinese Governor, came away quite strong and fresh, A'acrity under orders from Li Hung Chang, to and Quadruped immediately followed suit allow Europeans -alone or in conjunction and a fine race home ensued between these with Chinese-to erect a yarn spinning mill, three. Alacrity was brought up splendidly on the ground that the treaties gave them OUTWARD BOUND :- Red Sea, December | no right to manufacture, but only to reside | from the post and came in a winner by half 28: William Burkill, Abergeldie, Jan. | and trade within the settlements. A few a length. Quadruped was a capital third Ohinese officials and merchants had recently, Time, 2.121. Hector, Balcarres Brook, Flintshire, 29; under Li's patronage, established a spinning Glenfinlas, February 1; Frigga, Telu- mill in Shanghai, in which the Viceroy had mon, Trifels, Dorset, Galley of Lorne, | invited the people to subscribe for shares, Moray, 5; Benarty, Titan, 8; Thyra, and it was felt that unless this establishment enjoyed a monopoly it would be HOMEWARD BOUND :- Glenartney, Lennox, ruined. Accordingly Chinese applications 29 ; Sarpedon, Feb. 1; Oopack, Daphne, for leave to erect a similar mill were refused. 5; Yorkshire, 8; Bayern, Ulysses, Nor- as those of foreigners were refused, in order that the officially patronised and protected mill might be a success. It was thought The Saghalien, with the French Mail of that this was an improper in efference with January 25, left Singapore on Thurs- the treaty rights of foreigners, and the day, the 21st inst., at 10 a.m., and may | Shanghai community agitated the subject a be expected here on or about Thurs- good deal. Li, however, clung to his posiday, the 28th instant. This Packet | tion that the proper interpretation of the brings replies to letters despatched language of the treaties was that while Europeans could reside and trade in the settlements and could do everything incileft Vancouver for Japan, &c. on the dental to residence and trade, they received no right or privilege to manufacture—i.e. (according to Li's definition) to convert raw material into something of a different nature .- and it was accordingly the right of the a vereign power to grant or refuse such rrivilege. The point at issue, then, whether in any of the treaties with any of sang, from Calcutta, left Singapora on the Powers the right to manufacture may reasonably be read in, for if so all foreigners, all through. Daphne led for fifty wards. by the operation of the favoured-nationto hold the Chinese right, but to abstain from formally saying so, lest the declaration

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consequences later on.

STEWARDS .: His Excellency Sir G. William Des Vœux, K.C.M.G.: His Excellency Admiral Sir Newell Salmon, K.C.B.; His Excellency Major-General Cameron, C.B.: Commedore Maxwell, R.N.; Colonel Storer, R.E.; Colonel Craster, R.A.; Colonel Forbes-Robertson, A. & S. Highlanders : The Hon. P. Ryrie ; The Hon. J. Bell-Irving; The Hon, C. P. Chater; W. H. Forbes, Esq.; T. Jackson, Esq.; Grant, Esq.; R. M. Gray, Esq.; G. S.

OLERK OF THE COURSE :- H. J. Tripp, Mr Sid's Ganges (Machado) 10st. 71bs 2 STARTERS:-J. Grant, Esq., G. S. Coxon, Mr Ess' Bicycle (Sassoon) 11st

THIRD DAY, 22nd February. The Third day opened somewhat less Mr Tell's St. Gothard (Sampson) 11st.....0 favourably than the others, a slight drizzle Mr Benedick's Melapi (Hart Buck) 10st. falling just as the ball was opened. However, although the weather remained 'muggy' throughout the whole day, almost The Old Boys' Dunkeld (Greaves) 11st. no rain fell, and the slight drizzle in the morning and at the opening did perhaps good to the course, which was previously, if this race, two of the ponies running half Mr Buxey's Skipjack (Machado) 10st. an early grave. We learn that the Rev. can be the origin of that superatition, anything, too dry.

with the result of the Brokers' Cup. He start was made. Fleet Foot came first to the Mr Tell's Mont Breant (Ruege) 10st. | receipt of a self-addressed stamped enve- ed Indiana as an example of the dread declared to win with Violent, who only front, followed by Ganger, the rest tailing

chings, who rode Wiscacre, in the race. Haben, for foul riding. The complaint was not upheld. Another complaint on the Consolation Race.

The 'Ladies' Purse' was presented to Hotspur's jockey, Mr Reynell, by Miss Ryrie, in the Grand Stand, at the close of the race. Hearty cheers were given for the ladies on the conclusion of the ceremony. The result of the Navy Cup was a great surprise. Senegal (Sassoon up) was thought not to have a chance, but he got the lead at the first and kept it all the way, winning by a head. The win was very popular, Sassoon being carried out of the weighing-in place on the shoulders of the enthusiastic owners.

The Champion Stakes was again won by John Peel. Everyone thought, after Pacshing's performance yesterday, that he was a sure card. However, he was not anparently in so good form as yesterday, and the prize fell to Orlando, with 11 sec. longer time than Pao Shing did yesterday. John Peel carried off the honours to-day, had 1. Pogose, 1; Buxey, 1; Humphreys, furnished table on the occasion, and each 1; and Freser Smith, 1. Of the Jockeys, hor-es running together behind. This revived. Orlando then began to look dan-Ker, 1; Hough, 1; and Maclean, 1.

The programme for to-morrow, the Off established a millinery shop in Lindon, Day, consists of the following events; Lady Mackenze, Mrs Stuart Menzies, Beaten Mafoos' Race, Hack Stakes, Match Mrs Pocklington and Mrs Cooper Oakley | between Ameroid and Violent, Beaten Subscription Griffins' Race, Polo Ponies' Race, one of the fashionable beauties of the Lang- | Champion Marons' Race, Beaten Ponics' try type, has opened a bric-a-brac shop, Race. The first event will be run at two

-The BROKERS' Cur, presented, a forced | 5. - The KEECHONG CUP; for China ponies: entry of \$5 each for all entered subscription griffins of this season, 1888.9; 70 per cent of the entrance money to go to the second, and 30 per cent. to the third pony; weight for inches; previous winners, 71bs. extra; penalties accumulative. One mile.

Mr Darius' Alacrity (Pond) 10st 12lbs 1 Mr J. D. Humphreys' Violent (Ker) 11st. 2lbs... Mr Maclean's Quadruped (Nicholis) 10st. (Hart Buck) 11st. 2lbs 0 Mr Jay's Haben (Ruegg) 10st. 12lb ...0 Mr F. Smith's Methven (Maclean) 10st.

Mr Jav's Soll (Reynell) 10st, 12lbs.... Mr John Peel's Grey Goose (Hough) 11st. Mr Benedick's Aneroid (Von Tanner) Mr Teaman's Zara (Sampson) 11st.

Mr Pogose's Say-a-nara (Sassoon) 10st. Mr Slingsby Bethell's Frigate (Des Vœux) 11st. ilbs....(Mr Lightwood's Lord Chancellor (Collingwood) 11st. 7lbs.—0 Mr Benedick's Wiseacre (Butchings)

One of the longest fields seen at the meeting. Mr Humphreys' Violent was confidently looked to as the winner. There was, as might be expected, considerable I HEAR, says a London correspondent, that trouble in getting the horses off. A fair home for instructions all the correspondence | ed the stand all well together. They kept between himself and the Chinese authorities in pretty much the same condition all the by Pond, got level with Violent a few yards

> 2. - The Challenge Cur. value 100 guineas. for China ponies; to be won two years consecutively by a puny or ponies the bona fide property of the same owner; weight for inches; entrance (forced) \$5, but optional to subscription griffins of this season, 1888 9; first pony to receive 70 per cent.; second, 20 per cont.; and third, 10 per cent, of entrance money. One mile and three-quarters. Mr John Peel's Orlando (Reynell) 11st.

Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vigour (Ker) 11st. Crow's Daphne (Greaves) 1' at. 121bs....3 Mr Buxey's Busybody (Pond) Hist. 4lbs....0 Mr J. U. Humphreys' Victory (Ker) Hist. Mr John Pools Pacolet (Hough) 10st. Mr Buley's Arabic (Machado) 10 st.

Mr Ten Broeck's Gridiron (Maclean) 11st.

A beautiful start and an excellent race when Arabic came forward and left the Mr Alex Price's Exeter (Reynell) 10st. | glass boxes, containing each six dollars, fasclause, have the right. I believe the former three lengths behind. This posiution of Arabic's lead, over the hill. In

ics, to be handicapped by the Stewards: entrance, 85. Seven furlongs, Hon. TREASURER :- E. W. Rutter, Esq. Mr John Peel's Hotspur (Reynell) 11st Mr John Peel's Fleet Foot (Hough) 11st.,3 Mr Emenden's Gone Away (Nichol) 10st. Mr J. D. Hum; hreys' Verpasian (Ker)

> Mr Fraser Smith's Lochinear (Maclean) Considerable delay occurred in starting round the course at a false start. Mr Sid's three starts. At last, however, a very good

managed to secure second place. Hut. off behind. Between these two there was Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vigour (Sassoun) a capital race up the alone. They kept together till the Village was acarly reached. lodged a complaint against Ruegg, who had when Ganges drew away and got a length shead, while Fleet Foot began to lag and Mr John Poel's Bandsman (Nichell) was passed by Hotspur. On coming into the Straight, Hotspur had got up to Ganges, Mr John Peel's Challenger (Reynell) 11st. same score was lodged against Ruegg in the who was showing signs of exhaustion. Reynell brought Hotspur forward in fine Messrs Morgan and White's Silken Mead style, getting half a length ahead of Ganges at the winning post, and carrying off the Mr Triad's Forerunner (Greaves) 11st. coveted Ladies' Purso. Fleet Foot was a fair third.—Time. 1.51.

of the entrance money. One mile.

Mr Pogose's Senegal (Sassoon) 11st. 11bs....1 Mesers Morgan and White's Silken Mead (Von Tanner) 11st, 11bs....2 Mr J. D. Humphreys' Victory (Ker) 11st. Mr Buxey's Bombshell (Pond) 11st. 5lbs....0 Mr John Peel's Vendelta (Hough) 10st.

Mr John Peel's Bandsman (Reynell) 11st.

Bandsman was rather fancied for this nce, but his heavy weight was against him. After a capital start, Seneral took up the running and led the field all the way at a cracking pace. In passing the stand first winning no less than four races. Darius time Senegal led by a good length, with Victory second and Silven Mead third, desperate effort to get in front, and the Bombshell coming next and the other two confidence in the pony was for a moment Reynell had 3 wins, Pond, 2; Sassoon, 1; order was maintained almost unaltered over the hill. In coming round the corner. Victory passed Senega', but was immediately caught up by Mr Pogoso's pony who led into the straight. Bandsman at this point made an effort to come up but with no success. The race home between Senegal and Silken Mead was a close and exciting one and only a head separated them at the

> second pony to receive \$50; weight for inches; entrance, \$10. From the Black Bock twice round and in. Mr John Peel's Leap Year (Reynell) 10st.

Mr Humphreys' Victor (Ker) 11st. 1lb. Mr Buxey's Joker (Machado) 11st. 4lbs....3 Mr Tell's Mühlberg (Ruogg) 11st. 11b. ... Mr Tell's Scoletta (Sampson) 11st. 1lb.0 Mr John Peel's Honesty (Hough) 10st. Mr Craw's Daphne (Greaves) 10st. 12lbs.... Honesty at first took up the running Leap Year being second and Daphne third At the second round Honesty's place was taken by Leap Year, with Victor second who had hitherto been in the rear, and Joker, making up. Going down the Slope the third time Leap Year drew away in fine style. He was followed by Victor, but the latter was evidently much more exhausted, and it was apparent to all that Leap Year would win easily. He came in four or five lengths ahead. Joker beat up a good deal at the end, but he was two or three lengths behind Victor. The rest showed that they were played out when they had gone round twice. -Time, 4.58.

6.—The Garrison Cur; presented by the officers of the Garrison; for all bona fide griffing at date of entry; weight for inches; previous winners at this meeting, 7lbs, extra; penalties acthird. Time 1.02 cumulative; entrance, \$10; subscription griffins of this season, 1888-89 allowed 5lbs. From two mile post once cound and in the same and the

Mr Buxey's Arabic (Pond) 10st. 12lbs. ... Messrs Morgan and Whites White Pasha (Sassoon) 11st. 11b.... Mr John Peel's Fleet Foot (Hough) 10st. Mr Fraser Smith's Methwen (Viaclean) 10st. 7lbs. ... Mr Triad's Harbourer (Greaves) 10st. 121bs. ... 0

Arabic and Fleet Foot were both con- couple were 'nowhere,' as regarded that siderably funcied for this race, but day's proceedings; nowhere at least with going to get home ahead of both. Vanwho, although brought up well at the finish, never had much of a show-was an indifferent third. Time, 2.213.

7. - The Cossolation Stakes: for all beaten China ponies at this meeting: weight for inches; entrance, \$5, with \$100 added: second pony to receive \$50. Once round.

The Old Boys' Dunkeld (Greaves) 11st. 12lbs....0 Mr John Peel's Vendetta (Hough) 10st. 4lbs....0 Mr Tell's Maloja (Ruegg) 11st. 1lb......0 Mr Emanden's Gone Away (Nicholi) 11st.

foreign diplomatic body in Pekin is inclined | tion was maintained, with a slight dimin- Messrs Morgan and White's White Posha passing the stand, after the first round, Mr Sid's Ganges (Maclean) 11st. 11b pairs, one large, one small, bound together and reverenced by thousands who neverof such a principle might have inconvenient Arabic led by two lengths. Daphue being Mr Sid's Chaser (Sassoon) Het. 4lbs in emblem of the betrothal tie. second, the rest of the field close together. This was a difficult race to start, Ganges with Vigour in the rear. Mr Buxey's grey and Exeter both proving very refractory. provided by the lady for her suitor: a black continued to lead till the Black Rock was Chaser first took the lead, followed by his satin hat, knee boots of black cloth, a blue reached, when the others began to over stable companion, Ganges, the others being a silk waist scarf, and watch pocket omhaul him, Daphne again taking the lead length behind. Coming up the Slope, how- broidered with gold and silver braid; all and being two lengths ahead as the straight ever, a considerable charge took place in destined to be worn on the wedding-day. was entered. Orlando and Arabic then the position. Maloja come to the front, These were now placed on the trays which came forward, and Vigour was brought followed closely by Dunkeld. These two had borne his gifts to her, and which we rapidly up on the outside of the course, raced together fully a length ahead of the observed were covered with handsome silk making a strong bid for the lead. He others till the Straight was reached. They cloths, with lining of a different colour, and could not catch Orlando, however, who won | were then neck-and-neck, and whether by | gay bordering. Indeed the elaborate pains. by half a length; Daphne a good third, bad management or by the caprice of Ma- taking and skill, and, from an oriental point which children and dogs trust without loja they fouled each other two or three of view, the tastefulness shown in every hesitation or sorutiny, are, in spite of the times. On account of this, Maloja, who detail of the day's ceremonial struck us novelists, exceeding rare. Their glance seemed to have a fair chance of winning, greatly : while also we were impressed with ought to be sought by the ignorant, who, it DIVINE SERVICE will be conducted on Sun- M. Grote, Esq.; E. L. Woodin, Esq.; J. 3.—The Ladies' Purse, for all China pon- fell out of the race, and Dunkeld saw Victo- the conviction that it would be no less should be observed, believe in good omens ry dash past him and win by a length, Ven- undesirable than impossible to uprout the as well as bad, and good luck as well as ill

> weight for inches; entrance, \$20; Daily News. winners of two races, 830; or three or more races, \$50, -with \$100 added. One-mile-and-a-half.

him (Mr Greaves) with his riding whip.

10st ... 0 Mr John Peel's Orlando (Hough) 11st. 12lbs....0 lope.

11st. 1lb....0 Mr John Peel's Leav Year (Sampson) 10st. 12lbs.... (Von Tanner) 11st. 11b. ... (

Pao Shing's performance over the same distance vesterday in the Hongkong Club .-The Navy Cup, presented by officers Cup, when he did it in 3 min. It sec., was of H.M. fleet, for all China ponies; so convincing and so highly thought of that weight for inches; previous winners at the pony's ability to pull off the Champion this meeting of one race, 5lbs extra; Stakes was barely doubted. Still, well as of two races. 7lbs extra; and of three Mr Buxey deserved to win, the victory or more races, 10lbs, extra ; non-star- for Mr John Ped's stable was a highly ters at this meeting excluded; ent- popular one, and the result was hailed with rance \$10; second puny to receive half | enthusing the cheering. There was some difficulty in getting the large field away owing to the restiveness of some of the ponics. Forerunger took the lead at the start, followed by Leap Year and Bandsmen, Orlando being well in the rear. Skipjack passed several ponics and got next to the leader before the Black Rock was reached, and he and Forerwater I raced togethes for some little distance, Gridiron coming close up on them. In 11lbs ... 0 passing the stand first time Pac Shine looked beaten, being well in the rear and apparently not able to better his position. In rounding the end of the lake both Mr Humphreys' ponies were in the rear. Leap Year led up to the Black Rock. In turning round at the village Pao Shing made gerous, passing the ponies in front of him and racing neck-and-neck with Pan Shing. who had got the lead. The race up the straight was a most exciting one, but there could be no doubt as to who was to win. Orlando passing his rival easily and win-

winning post. Victory a good third. Time 9 .- The NIL DESPERANDUM STAKES, for all or a shell with its convolutions reversed, the second pony; weight for inches. flalf-a-mile.

third. Time 3.121.

Mr Fraser Smith's Glencair (Maclean) Mr Twain's Reve d'or (Collingwood) 11st, Mr Burey's Pattern (Sampson) 10st. Mr Pagose's Say-a-nara (Pond) 10st, Mr Böning's Springinsfeld (Boning) 10st. Mr W. Cruickshank's McDuff (Sankey) Mr Sykes' Strawberry Jam (Coxon) 11st.

Mr Philippi's Talisman (Ruegg) 11st. Ar Lightwood's Lord Chancellor (Osborne) Mr Tasman's Zara (Greaves) 11st. 71bs. Mr Maclean's Quadruped (Nicholl) 10st.

Mr Slingsby Bethell's Frigate (Cap), Mr Benedick's Post Boy (Von Tanner) Mr Sid's Starry Nights (Machado) 12st. Mr Sid's Ormonde (Ker) 11st. 41bs....0 Glencairn led the field all the way and won easily by a lenghth: Pathan a good

A CHINESE BETROTHAL. * But where are the young couple! ' We

had accepted an invitation to be present at a native betrothal ceremony; the more gladly that we felt a personal interest in both the contracting parties, for the 121bs. ... 3 bridegroom-elect had been from childhood enrolled among our church-helpers; and the maiden was assistant-teacher in a Chinese boarding school carried on by valued fellowworkers. We, we had to learn that the young

presents was to be their only intercourse : Getting near the Black Rock Mr Hum- the above-named school four Chinamen both Arabic and White Pashu. The fiance; consisting of a mass of small boxes up-stairs, to the retreat of the bride-elect. Thereinto we were allowed by special favour to penetrate. It was the private room of the lady-director of the school. Here the damsel and her mother were supposed to be bewailing the event of the day. with its prognostication of parting, and to the question, 'Are you very happy?' the former replied, 'You should not ask me that: but certainly two more contented countenances would have been hard to find. and no wonder, since the girl's home was made miserable by a drunken father, and her betrothed husband was in all respects

an excellent fellow. She stood with her back to us facing a merely noticed them by stealthy glances. 11b...0 The only articles of any value were two 9lbs...0 tened to the bottom with silien threads. (Sampson) 11st. 1lb...0 covered with silk. There were pea-nuts in

We were next called to inspect the gifts ! detta coming in a good third. Mr Greaves, national customs of this people in our efforts luck; but it is not. They attract, but no Dunkeld's jockey, lod ed a complaint to implant Christianity, save in so far as superstition grows around them. against Mr Ruegg, complaining of his con- such customs savour of idolatry, duct during the race and of his baving struck. The gentleman meanwhile was The gentleman meanwhile was entertain-

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THE EVIL EYE.

A notion, it is said, is spreading in France that President Carnot, an ordinary man to look at of the half-military type, has the Evil Eye. He stares, it seems, rather fixedly at any interlocutor, perhaps to study his face, perhaps to avoid a habit of looking downwards, perhaps because he is a little short-sighted, and the disconcerted victim, in describing the interview. always mentions this fixed glance. Hence an impression among the vulgar that the President's eve is malefic, an impression deepened by a purely accidental stroke of ill-luck, the bursting out of fire on one occasion after his visit to a country town. The votes of Southern Frenchmen, who, like Italians, believe in the Evil Eye, may, it is thought, be affected by this impression, and a good deal is said about the hopeless ignorance of a peasantry who can be influenced by a superstition consideredspecially hase because, almost alone among superstitions, it seems not to reach the educated classes. They ought to hear of it from their nurses, and to retain some vague belief in it through life, just as they retain a vague prejudice against the number thir teen, or burning bread, or walking under a ladder, or spilling salt; but so far as we have observed, this is not the case. They hardly know of its existence. The superstition is confined to the ignorant, and is by no means a very surprising one. It is much more surprising that there is no superstition anywhere about the Good Eye -a fact which entirely dissociates the jettathat there are so very few uncampy ideas The original source of most superstitions, and of all idolatries in which the idol is not deliberate'y manufactured by human hands, is now recognised to be the sense of surprise, of sudden fear or admiration, felt by the 'untutored mind,' as the Lichfield school ning by several lengths. Gridiron a good would have called it, for anything unusual. It may be a remarkable tree, or a rock with a defined form, or an oddly-shaped stone,

beaten subscription griffins of this sea- or curious fruit like the coco-de-mer; but it son, 1888-89; entrance, \$5; with \$100 strikes the savage imagination, and is thenceadded for the first puny, and \$50 for forward surrounded by some of the instinctive awe felt for the supernatural. regular worship, as Sir Alfred Lyall has shown, often grows up round such a curiosity, or it becomes, as in the case of the shaligram, sucred over a great tract of the world, and among entire races of mankind. Now, nothing is more frequently quusual or, so to speak, surprising, than the human eye, which varies, in occasional cases, from the normal type to a degree that has never yet been quite satisfactorily explained. Why is one eye fishy, while another flashes fire? There are eyes which do literally 'beam,' and they are so common as to have given rise to a separate description in most languages; there are eyes which in anger seem to emit light from within-Mr Glad-11b....0 | stone's do-there are eyes, generally steels grey in Europe, but often black in Asia, 11st. 71bs....0 which never cease to menace, even when the face is gentle or at ease; and there are eyes into which a look of almost intolerable scrutiny can be thrown, eyes, as Lord Beaconsfield described them, 'which would daunt a galdes Vœux) 11st. 7lbs... 0 ley-slave. The writer saw a remarkable Mr Jay's Soil (Reynell) 10st. 12lbs....0 pair of them once. He was waiting with a crowd of passengers on the French frontier of Italy, all under orders to pass through a barrier in single file. The Emperor Napoleon had been warned about some projected attempt by carbonari, and a special agent had been despatched from Paris to examine every passenger by the train The eyes of this agent were absolutely different from those of any human being the writer ever saw, and the Italians, as they passed under their fire, visibly

quailed, every third man, perhaps, throwing out his fingers to counteract the malefic effect of their influence. Even the English. who had nothing to fear, did not like the eyes, which this writer will remember at the Judgment Day; and one, presumably an Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vanquisher (Ker) connected with our mission, and was now actor, said audibly, - My God, that is natural that the glance of such eyes should create and leave the impression of surprise, and the belief that they cause injury to those on whom they light, even when the injury is not intended. That is a most natural development of the fear the eyes for a while it looked as if White Pasha was reference to each other. An exchange of originally produced, and is, of course, much intensified whenever, rumour having been quisher made the running at the beginning. presently there arrived at the doorway of busy about the eyes, the malefic glance is expected beforehand. Such eyes phreys' pony's position was challenged by carrying trays laden with offerings from the are rare; but their impression is diffused and exaggerated till it is transferthree ponies named entered the straight on baskets, flowers, made of gay-coloured and red to any eyes peculiar enough, either in pretty even terms, with the others tailed off. gilded cardboard, paper and wire; all were shape, or colour, or habit—some people Half-way up Arabic came away in fine deposited on a table ready draped for the | throw back the eyes, like horses to attract style and had an easy win. Fleet Foot - purpose, and then female friends here them popular attention. Nor is it at all unna-

tural that, if misfortune once or twice follows the presence of a stranger, it should be attributed to him, and therefore to the most noticeable thing about him, his glances, which those who are watching him always see. Post hoc, ergo propter hoc, is the most common of the delusions of the vulgar, and it would have been almost wonderful if, after the great massacre which accompanied the entrance of Mario An toinette into France, she should not have been credited with that power of causing misfortune which her future history seemed so terribly to verify. From her hasband to the Princess de Lamballe, whomsoever she favoured died by violence. The couch whereon his gifts were displayed; but remarkable thing is, that the superstition is frequently not provocative of hate, the malefic influence being held to be independent of the will of the person possessing it, to be in him, in fact, a result of God's grace amidst nuts of various kinds, painted or or the Devil's, and not of any action of his own. Pio Nono, for instance, was loved theless could not bring themselves to forego the gesture which in Italy deprecates supernatural evil, whenever they looked at the Pupe. Why the converse belief, that in the Good Eye, should not exist, we cannot explain except by supposing, what is certainly true, that fear makes, of all emotions, the deepest impression. The prisoner remembered Judge Jeffreys's 'terrible eyes' years after he would have forgotten them utterly if they had been believolent; yet really kind eyes, eyes There is a much more subtle form of the Evil Eyebelieved in in India, which requires

admired by a stranger. She believes with a belief to which that of the Italian is a feeble impression, that under such circum-AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY is announced stances the Evil Eye falls on the child, and their people have of envy the aubject of

envy always suffering somewhat, as, indeed, does the subject of hate and scorn. the will, when turned maleficent having always some operation, however slight it may be. explan tion, the apperatition is but part of the permanent Hindoo impression that the human will, particularly when intonse, has an effluent power; and this may be the true explanation; but if it is, it is an ercessively curious one. Superstitions are usually products of some natural feeling. such as the fear which produces worship of the cholera goddess, or the gratitude which develops the worship of the sun-the ripener, and therefore the most visible of dessing-givers—but it is natural to like .to be envied. That the ignorant mother should suspect the person who admires. perhaps an English lady, of wishing to possess the child, is natural enough: but one would expect her to crow, therefore, with exultation, not to run away. If she runs, it is because her accepted theories of life have conquered her justinets, and those instincts good, a very unusual phenomenon. The mother, it will be observed, does not attribute to the person who admires any witchcraft, nor does she hate her at all, though she may be angry as at a misfortune; she is simply terrified at the unconscious influence which a malefic feeling. however momentary, may have upon her child. We have never observed or heard. of any feeling in the least like this in Europe, not even in Naples, though the converse feeling, that it is unlucky to boast tere notion from the belief in omens-and of a child, is common enough. That however, belongs to a totally different about persons and their influence. There order of superstitions, the superstitions of ought to be a great many, for a human | ill luck, the mother exercising no influence being is frequently a very unusual one, on anybody, but only affronting Them Above by indecent exultation over what is their merit and not hers. It is the superstitions which suppose direct human action like the Evil Eye, which we are today considering, and which, we confess. interest us far more than any other.

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God save our gracious Green, Long live our College Green, Gallant and free! Scatter the Saxon crew, Str ke the Red: White, and Blue. Roderick Vich Alpine Dhu. Cushla machree!

God save the septs and claus, Bless all the Micks and Dans, Bless all the Pats: Heaven guard the gallant Manx, Heaven bless their herring-banks, Strengthen their triple shanks, Prosper their cats !

Oh! may heaven's choicest smiles Watch o'er the Channel Isles. And make them French Save gentle Patrick Ford. Convert the Orange horde. Confound each Tory Lord, Prostrate the Bench

God save Charles Stuart—Parnell, Shield him from shot and shell, Powder and ball. Oh! may no Saxon spy Wipe poor old Ireland's Eye. God bless the Isle of Skye. Ne'er may it fall!

God save the Jute, the Dane, Long may Trelawny reign. Long live the Gael Long live the Mayor of Cork. Raise high the price of pork, Long may Kings Log and Stork Rule Innistail.

God save our noble Green. God save the Ghibelline Down with the Guelph, Discrown the Ocean's Queen. Shatter the whole machine. Bless every smithereen,— Chiefly myaelf.

CHARLES L. GRAVES

AND now, little girls, said a Sunday school teacher. 'you may tell me about the Epistles.' A little girl held up her hand. Well, said the teather. The Epistles. said the little girl-' the Epistles are the

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Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at
lonsity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. R. Biair Maconochie	Hongkong
lacrity ockchafer	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	470	LieutCom. Everard Maxwell	Hongkong
onstance	cruiser 3rd class	2389	14	2590	Capt. L. C. Keppel	Yokohama
ordelia	cruiser 3rd class	2380	10	2420	Captain Henry H. Boys	Hongkong
ordens	g-bi. 3rd class coast defence	363 -	3	340		In reserve
	gunboat 2nd class	465	4.	470	LieutCom. Reginald Y. Smith	Hongkong
apoir	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	LientCom. Denison	Shanghai
Irebrand	cruiser 3rd class	1420	8	1130	Captain Chas. J. Balfour	Hongkong
leroine	twinscrew battle ship	8400	10	1(600	Captain William H. May	Hongkong
mpérieuse*	cruiser 2nd class	4300	10	6500	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
eander	gun-vesse 2nd class	756	5	1050	Commander Smythies	Singapore
innet	gunboat 2nd class	430	4	430	Lieut. Com. G. H. Yongo	Bongkong
Jerlin	Bloop	1130	10	1120	Commander J. H. Martin	Shangbai
Autine Prion	twin-screw battle ship	4870	4	4040	Captain By. J. Carr	Singapore
), 10H	2nd class armored			ാ≃ററ	Commander R. W. White	Hongkong
orpoise	cruiser	1730	6	3500 690	Copt. The Hen. F. C. Vereker	Hongkong
lambler	surveying vessel	830	3	1200	Lieut, Com. W. Maitl. Dougall	Hongkong i
lattler	gunboat 1st class	715	6		Captain W. C. Karalake	Singapore
apphire	cruiser 3rd class	1970	12	2960	Captain T. P. W. Nesham	Yokohama
atellite	oroiser 3rd class	1420	8	1400	Cuptain 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, contain	Hongkong
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150	-	1010	Cam. The Han. Richard Bingham	Hongkong
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orpedo Boat No. 36		95	-	—		In reserve
weed	g-bt. 3rd olass coast defence		3		Commodore Maxwell, A.D.C.	Hongkong
ictor Emanue	receiving ship	5167	14	750	Commander Geo. A. Giffard	Singapore
Vanderer	sloop coastdefenceship,armoured	925 2750	4	750 1450	Commander Geo. A. Canala	Hongkong

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief.

H. B. M. Shipa' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the Chira and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Aleout	Russian gunboat	800			Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
	Spanish cruiser	1908		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Captain D. E. Zulnags	Manila
Aragon	French gunbost	470	4	460	Commander Malopert	Nagzaski
Aspie Bobre	Russian cruiser	1100			Captain Menschicoff	Nagasaki
Comète	French gunbost	475	4	450	LieutCommander Martel	Quinhon
	U. S. corvette	1375	6	900	Commander Jewell	Singapore
Kszex		489			Captain Eickstedt	Chemulpo
Iltis	German gunboat Franch gunboat	485	4	425	Cartain Neny	Touron
Lotin	U. S. corvette	1900	•	1170	Commander Dyer	Hongkong
Marion		1370	8	1470	Lieut. Com. Benry Glass	Yokohama
Monocacy	U. B. sloop	455	7	60	Commander Moltsoff	Corea
Mordj	Russian guncoat	1330	9	250	Captain Zarine	Nagasaki
Nayerdink	Rassian cruiser		12	1150	Capt. McKair	Shanghai
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	8	•	LieutCom. Craig	Kobe
Palos	U. S. gunboat	420	•	500		Shapghai
Parseval	French gunboat			4.00	Captain M. Foret	On a crnise
Pluvier	French gunbost	540	· •	420	Lieut. Con mander Fourest	Macao
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	540	📆	, 	Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Corea
Sivotch	Russian cruiser	900	1 1	1000	Commander Suctines	Japan
Sobol	Russian gunboat	456	7	60	Commander Boyle	Singapore
Sophie	German cruiser	2100	e to to t ake	14 - 1	Captain Kohlhaver	Op a cruise
Tejo	Portuguese gunboat	500	8	100	Lieut. Com. O. R. Caminha	上のは ニュー・メング アー・カンサイ イ
Turenne	French frigate	5880	12	4250	Captain Juge	Saigon
Vostnik	Russian corvette	1330			Captain Lang	Nagasaki
Vipere	French gunboat	480	4	425	Commander Gondot	Saigon
Vitias	Russian corvette	2950	12		Captain Makaroff	Bingapore
Vostock	Russian gunboat		1	-	Con mander Moscheral 7	Visnivi eter &
Wolf	German gunboat	884	8	840	Captain Credner	Manila

SHIPPING IN CHINA, JAPAN, PHILIPPINES, AND SIAM WATERS.

WHAMPOA. Blag & Rig. Destination str. Shanghai str. Shanghai

AMOY. In port on February 11, 1889. MERCHANT STEAMERS. British Scochow MERCHANT BAILING VESSELS. Ger. bqo. Elizabeth

Galveston.

Remarks.

FOOCHOW. in port on February 13, 1889. MERCHART STRAKERS. British

Ger. bge.

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> SHANGHAI. MERCHANT STRAMERS.

- in port on February 16, 1869. French British Chinese Hankow, &c. Chintung El Dorado British Feilung British Feima British Fooksang British Fuh Wo Chinese Hankow, &c. Heo-an Chinese Haeshin Johannes Brun Norwegiun British Kaifong Kiang-piau Chinese Chinese Kiang-yung Chinese Kiang-teen British Kowshing

Chinese Meefoo French Melbourne British Newchwang German Ningpo British Pechili Poo-Chi Chinese British Shannon French Sinn-cheng British Sin Nanzing Store Nordiske Danish British Strathleven British Tnng-chow British Whampoa Chinese Yeh-sin British Yuen Wo

Chinese Yungching MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Brit. bqe. Antoinette Brit. boe. Dorothy G. H. Wappaus Brit. bqc. Hedvig Brit. bge. Pactolus Amer. sh. Brit, boe. Perlo Séa Swallow

WalterSiegfried Brit. bge. NAGASAKI In Port on February 13, 1889 Kozaki Maru Japan, bqe. Western Belle Amer. bqe.

YOKOHAMA. In port on February 14, 1869. Brit. Arctic

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ScammellB'theraBrit. bge. HIOGO. In portion February 12, 1889. Amer, bqe. Brit. sh. Mohawk Brit. sh. Naupactus

Sunbeam Amer, bqe. Undaunted Amer. sh. MANILA. . In Port on February 16, 1889. MERCHANT SAILING VESSEL ...

Charles S. Whitney Brit. sh. New York Brit. bge. New York Furness Abbey Amer. bge. discharging Jos. H. Scammell Brit. ah. New York Brit. bge. discharging Low Wood Northern Empire Brit. bqe. discharging TamarE MarshallBrit. bqo. repairing HOILO.

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. sh. Montreal Brit. sh. London CEBU. MERCHANT SAILING VESSEL

Amy Turner Amer, bge. New York Scammell Bros. Brit. bqe. New York Lizzie C. Troop Brit. sh. New York

BANGKOK. In port on February 9, 1889. Bangkok Cape Clear

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